Suppose We'd Always Had a Censor A Recipe for

"Peor old Paul Jones," the censor said, "his language is a fright;
He signaled to the enemy, 'I've just begun to fight.'
We can't let the public know an Admiral would say
So rude, cross and crude a thing in such a loutish way.
I'll just elaborate his words in phrases smooth and fit;
I'll add a literary touch and polish them, to-wit:

"In reply to your inquiry as to whether or not I am about to quit the combat, may I not state that, on the contrary, I am just completing preparations immediately to enter it?"
"These Admirals," the censor wailed; "their stuff lacks punch and zip!
Reports give Lawrence's last words as 'Don't give up the ship!'
"Twould be a grave disservice to the proletariat
To let them know a hero's words could ever sound like that.
But when elaborated by a learned man like me,
The vast improvement in their style you easily can see:

"In the event of my demise or inability to continue the direction of the present maneuvers, which is not unlikely, all the directmestances considered, I would dissuade you from any purpose you might possibly enter-

the present maneuvers, which is not unlikely, all the dircumstances considered, I would dissuade you from any purpose you might possibly entertain of relinquishing the vessel to the enemy.

"What vulgar speech," the censor said; "it makes one's nerves unsteady; Here's Dewey telling Gridley, 'You may fire when you're ready.'
How fortunate that I am here to keep such words as these From any of the public prints that anybody sees. But never mind, just hand it here, and when elaborated
The public will receive the news that Dewey boldly stated:

"Gridley, unpreparedness, as you doubtless are aware, is a grave error, one that, I trust, no gentleman serving under me would fall into. To instruct any of your seamen to discharge any of the rifles inadvertently or before the proper time would be, to put it mildly, a serious indiscretion. However, when there is no further occasion for delay, when everything is in proper order, the shells in the guns, the hands at the lanyards, the target in sight and the intervening space freed from anything which would obstruct the progress of the projectile, I can see no valid reason why the attack should not be delivered."

—New York American.

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A Statement

uous, if not indeed misleading, and is calculated to do the County Assessor

essor's office, which work he per-forms in a manner entirely satisfac-

ROUTE 3

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Counts of this route spent the week-end with rela-

tives in St. Louis.
Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Counts of

tory to the most exacting taxpayer.

Bond Purchases-National Saving

In a speech delivered by Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo in New York City, June 4, he made the following

"If this war continues for another 12 months, it is probable that the to-tal amount of financing the Government will have to do to cover its own expenditures and extend the necessary credit to the Allied Governments will

amount to the Allied Governments will amount to ten billion dollars."

This or some large amount will be expended by the Governments of the United States and its allies in the United States in the purchase of products of various kinds of our farms, factories and mines.

This money is to be raised largely by the sale of bonds in the United States which have been and will be purchased by the people of this coun-

try.

Economists are now speculating as to whether under these conditions the people of the United States are going to spend as much as they ordinarily would and to their usual expenditures will there be added the ten billion dolwill there be added the ten billion dol-lars or such sums as may be spent by the Governments, or will the people curtail their expenditures by approxi-mately the amount they invest in Government bonds, with the result that the expenditures in America this that the expenditures in America this year will be practically the same as before, the people purchasing approx-imately as much less than usual as the Governments purchase more.

It is hoped that this happy balance will be effected. The large bond buyers will very probably curtail their investments along other lines to the extent they invest in Government bonds.

tent they invest in Government bonds. Their ordinary expenditures will probably remain the same.

It is regarded as probable that the great body of purchasers of the smaller amounts of Liberty Loan Bonds are going *o curtail their living expenses, largely in the way of cutting off luxuries, pretty much by the amount they invest in Government bonds. The man with an annual income of a thouman with an annual income of a thou-sand dollars who bought or buys a and dollars who bought of buys a hundred dollar Government bond will cut down his yearly expenses one hun-dred dollars; the ten thousand dollar a year man who has bought a thou-sand or a twenty-five hundred dollar bond will cut out superfluities and luxuries to that amount.

Of course this is a matter largely of surmise, but the conclusion seems based on sound reasoning and many known instances. It is stated with confidence by publicists that the great majority of the purchasers of the Liberty Loan Bonds will at the end of

Liberty Loan Bonds will at the end of 12 months be richer by the amount of their bond purchases, having by economy saved that much during the year. The Liberty Loan Bond issue is going to be a tremendous factor for good in the economic life of the American people. The expenditure of vast sums for American products will bring prosperity. If this is accompanied by economy, our country will indeed be fortunate.

Dr. W. G. Patton, the efficient medical assistant at State Hospital No. 4, whose term of office will close at that institution August 1st, has made application to enter the medical reserve corps of the army. There is a great demand for physicians to prepare for service at the front, and Dr. Patton will doubtless be called to duty there. In the meantime, soon as his work in the State Hospital closes, he will go to New York to take a postgraduate course in surgery. graduate course in surgery.

Bismarck Sunday to attend the monthly meeting of the Board of Managers
of State Hospital No. 4, where he
spent several days this week. He expects to spend a large part of the
present month at that institution, familiarizing himself with the detail
work there, as well as getting better
acquainted with his assistants-to-be,
also with the help generally. Through
a close acquaintance with the work
and affairs of that institution he hopes
to be able to eliminate, in a large
measure at least, the difficulties that
might otherwise arise. He will take
active charge of that institution on
August 1st.

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A Good Time

Every sane, normal being is look ing for a good time. There are many courses, all of which are more or less traveled, that appears to premise a "good time" for the traveler. But

ing rods strapped on the side, and the interior laden with fishing tackle of every description—and most important of all, a bountiful supply of delicious and appetizing lunch—in case it may be needed. You will then have the "makin'" of a good time, if your liver, kidneys and digestion are working properly.

All that is then needed is a stage setting, with a real background. This can soon be obtained by heading your machine in the direction of Iron Mountain Lake, which should be reached in forty minutes, or less time. There boats are to be had, also worms and minnows can be purchased, and you should then be prepared to pass an hour, a day or a week in a most pleasurable manner. If fishing does not appeal to you, then the enticing surroundings of that splendid body of water should draw very near unto you.

Surely there is enjoyment to be had there, for anyone at all prepared to enjoy life. Even if the blood arter-

In the "Warrants Ordered Drawn" in the County Court proceedings, as printed in this paper last week, was one to the County Recorder for "work on Assessor's Books." This was the way in which the warrant was drawn, which clears the reporter of any possible error, which might apply to the reading of such warrant. But the manner in which this warrant was drawn was at least rather ambiguous if not indeed misleading, and is Surely there is enjoyment to be had here for there, for anyone at all prepared to enjoy life. Even if the blood arteries are beginning to clog, a thorough treatment of this kind should instill renewed life and hope. If it does not, then, indeed, must your case be inspect hopeless. Try this recipe and see where you "are at."

An insmeetin will co

Are you doing your "bit" toward helping the boys at the front put up a winning fight, in order that you may be permitted to continue to enjoy the comforts and blessings of quiet home life? You should contribute not only willingly, but liberally. If not willingly, then you should either be forced to give a large part of that you have, or be compelled to go to the front. calculated to do the County Assessor an injustice.

Each year the Recorder makes-out such a book, showing changes in ownership of real estate, for use in his office, and is entirely foreign to the work of the Assessor's office. The facts are that Assessor Wells is always ready and entirely competent to attend to all the work in the Assessor's office, which work he per-

Dr. F. W. Gale, late of Marquand, has located in Bismarck, where he has taken over the medical practice of Dr. J. L. Eaton, who was recently elected Superintendent of State Hospital No. 4. Dr. Gale also succeeds Dr. Eaton as division and dispensing surgeon of the Iron Mountain Railroad at Bismarck, which guarantees him a big practice. He comes to his new practice with the strongest kind of recommendations as being one of the most successful practitioners in Southeast Missouri. St. Francois county is to be congratulated on securing the services of this eminent physician, who will perhaps be kept as busy as Dr. Eaton was in that field of practice.

Satisfactory

Compromise

The section on the Electric Line, from Flat River to DeLassus, last week went out on strike for higher wages. Their demands were for \$2.50 for a ten-hour day. They had not kept up with the march of progress, and knew nothing about working only eight hours a day.

On Friday the men returned to their work, having reached a satisfactory as busy as Dr. Eaton was in that field of practice. Dr. F. W. Gale, late of Marquand, Miss Hazel Wampler of Flat River is spending the week with friends and relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Counts of Flat River are spending the week with relatives on this route. Miss Viola Harter spent the week-end with grandparents at Farmington. Miss Violet Mullins of Farmington spent Sunday with hor friend, Miss Flisia Silvay

Roy and Homer Brown and Ray-nond Whaley of Blackwell were Farm-

mond Whaley of Blackwell were Farmington visitors yesterday. Raymond Whaley had business with the County Superintendent of Schools and Roy and Honer Brown visited with Dr. Long at the State Hospital.

Judge G. O. Nations of Washington, D. C., came in Monday for a few days visit with his family here. Judge Nations is on his way to Fort Scott, Kansas, to attend a directors meeting of the Free Press Defense League, of which he is vice president. He hopes spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Elisie Silvey.

Misses Mamie Smith of Farmington and sister, Addie, of Flat River spent the week-end with home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Loker and children spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Rowling. Bowling.

Misses Elvie and Hazel Wampler, Viola Harter, Mamie and Fannie Counts, and Wimple Gordon, J. C. Harter, Clarence and Ralph Wade attended the Children's Day exercises at Chestnut Ridge church last Sunday School class delightfully to return here for a short time after entertained the ladies of the Baptist church on the beautiful lawn Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. M. A. Hollis being the ing engagements in the East. He guest of honor. Dainty refreshments will deliver an address in Virginia at Chestnut Ridge church last Sunday School class delightfully entertained the ladies of the Baptist church on the beautiful lawn Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. M. A. Hollis being the ing engagements in the East. He guest of honor. Dainty refreshments will deliver an address in Virginia at Chestnut Ridge church last Sunday School class delightfully entertained the ladies of the Baptist church on the beautiful lawn Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. M. A. Hollis being the ing engagements in the East. He guest of honor. Dainty refreshments will deliver an address in Virginia at Chestnut Ridge church last Sunday School class delightfully entertained the ladies of the Baptist church on the beautiful lawn Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. M. A. Hollis being the ing engagements in the East. He guest of honor. Dainty refreshments will deliver an address in Virginia at Chestnut Ridge church last Sunday School class delightfully entertained the ladies of the Baptist church on the beautiful lawn Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. M. A. Hollis being the ing engagements in the East. He guest of honor. Dainty refreshments will deliver an address in Virginia at Chestnut Ridge church last Sunday School class delightfully entertained the ladies of the Baptist church on the beautiful lawn Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. M. A. Hollis being the ing engagements in the East. He guest of honor. Dainty refreshments will all the sunday School class delighted to the address of the Baptist church on the ladies of the Baptist church on the ladies of the Baptist church on the ladies of the Baptist c

FAIR FARMINGTON

This City Almost Ideal, With Far More Than the Usual Amount of Attractions and Advantages

"good time" for the traveler. But how many are disappointed in seldom, if ever, coming up with a really "good time." Let us give you the following receipt, which should bring you very lear that earnestly sought goal. If it does not, then indeed must your case be hopeless.

The following is our receipt: Take one auto, (super-six preferred, that rides like a palace Pullman) as we did Wednesday afternoon, with fishing rods strapped on the side, and the interior laden with fishing tackle of every description—snd most impor-

But it is as a residence town that But it is as a residence town that Farmington has most strongly appealed to the writer, as we believe it will appeal to anyone after a careful inspection of all the conditions here. As inspection of the homes here, and meeting with the people, we believe will convince anyone that this is indeed a delightful place to live, and create an overnowering desire to be. deed a delightful place to live, and create an overpowering desire to become annexed to such a city of delightful homes. In splendid churches also does this city compare favorably with much larger places, and in fine public schools it excels.

As stated above, Farmington is almost a residual residuate town. We

most an ideal residence town. We which he say "almost" advisedly, as we do not preciate.

That Farmington is almost an ideal contend that it is altogether ideal, saidence town there is no reason to out, especially among those who are of perfection than any other town we rell acquainted with the many postessions of this city and vicinty, which few things before the mark of per-fection can be reached, but the public spirit that is constantly in evidence is steadily overcoming the disad-vantages that really exist, though are

The principal need of Farmington now is, perhaps, a thorough and com-plete sewerage system, in order to improve its sanitary condition to the greatest possible extent. While the natural surface drainage could hardly be improved upon, there are too many cess pools—always a greater or fess menace to health conditions—which could be obliterated only with a perfect sewerage system.

There is a constantly growing sen-

timent in favor of a sewerage system, and The Times predicts that it will not be many months before this safe-guard to the health of the community will be an accomplished fact. When will be an accomplished fact. When this very important improvement has been accomplished, then will Farmington be really and truly an ideal "home place." Then, too, will its power to attract those who are looking for the best place to be found for home, be irresistable. Occasionally we hear a "knock" on

Occasionally we hear a "knock" on Farmington, usually by someone who has seen little, if any, of other places. Such "knocks" usually originate in ignorance, and are wholly unworthy of notice. When we hear such remarks, if we do not so advise, at least the thought occurs that it would be the "least the thought occurs that it would least the thought occurs that it would be to the "knocker's" advantage to "take a trip around" and see for him-self how Farmington compares with other places. We are sure that such a trip, even though it might be of brief duration, would "open his eyes" to the many attractions of this city, which he has failed heretofore to ap-preciate.

work, having reached a satisfactory agreement with the railroad officials. While the compromise reached was not in exact accord with the demands of the section men, the rate of wage was in exact accord with their de-mands, being \$2.25 for a nine-hour day. The strikers are satisfied, the road is in no wise injured, and the men return to work in a mood calculated to give better value for their increased wage than they were rendering for their former unsatisfactory

Mrs. J. H. Johnson and members of

Women and **Booze Tangle**

Weingarten booze and two colored weingarten booze and two colored women of Farmington was the combination that disturbed the colored population in the neighborhood of Douglass School on Saturday night. Mrs. Katie Hunt was the complaining witness and Police Judge Zolman, after heaving the case anyoneed the ter hearing the case, announced that fines and costs amounted to \$10.00

The offenders were notified by the court that repetition of the offense would result in a jail sentence in ad-dition to the usual fine and costs. The better element among our colored people should be commended for tak-ing a stand against such unwarranted conduct on the part of the few of our worthless colored folks.

Women Should

Are you willing to serve your country? If so, how? Every woman should register on Saturday, July

To Extend the **Present Field**

Freemont Jones, better known throughout this section of country as "Michigan" Jones, last week started a drill on his farm north of Bonne Terre, in search of lead. That particular field has never been tested for lead, and it is Mr. Jones' opinion that practicular fields are the description of the second of th tically as rich deposits underlay that field as that throughout the Lead Belt. If the new prospect hole, or holes, develop lead it will mean quite an extension of the present mineral

an extension of the present mineral field.

Nothing could be more fitting, if the present Lead Belt is to be extended in its area, than that "Michigan" Jones should be the "Pathfinder". He has developed more mining property in this field than anyone else, and he has invariably handled it most successfully. He is a mine developer and speculator by instinct, and he likes the game. And he is the kind of a man best fitted for such development. He is big enough in thought, heart and soul to give others a chance heart and soul to give others a chance to enjoy a fair share of profit that his efforts have made possible. He has no desire to "lick up the entire smear.

smear."

The Times hopes his new drilling will bring to light the richest lead deposits that have yet been developed throughout the Lead Belt, and it would not surprise us if such results do not follow soon, and his judgment of the mineral field has heretofore proven almost uncerring. He has been in this field since lead was first discovered, and has always been most been in this field since lead was first discovered, and has always been most successful. Several years ago he moved his family to Detroit, which he now calls his home, and for which place he left Tuesday, to spend about two weeks, when he will return to Farmington, where he still spends a large part of his time.

The Navy League

The Navy League has grown from an organization that had for its object the maintenance of an adequate navy for the defense of our country, ject the maintenance of an adequate navy for the defense of our country, into an organization with a unit in every city, town and hamlet in the country, which is working to give material, as well as moral, aid to the brave men who are defending our nation on the high seas. Our navy has been called a warm water fleet, as heretofore its activities have been confined to our tropical possessions—Cuba, Panama and the Philippines. But now all this is changed, and our fleet is sailing the Northern seas, the north coast of Scotland and the coasts of Norway, and even now, while we are suffering from the heat, our sailorboys are ofttimes covered with ice. And no adequate provision made for them! Join the Navy League, and by providing a few warm garments for the brave fellows, do your "bit" for your country. The membership fee of \$1.00 entitles you to a dellar's worth of wool. There will be a meeting of the League on Saturday, July 14, at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. K. C. Weber. Anyone wishing further information, call up Mrs. K. C. Weber.

O'Dell Did Not Attack His Wife

Register July 28 Mrs. Richard O'Dell called at The Times office Monday morning and stated that the mention in this paper last week, to the effect that her husband had slashed her across stomach with a knife, and had then attacked a neighbor, Mrs. Rosa Weise, and drove her from her home, was all a mistake. Mrs. O'Dell stated that the story was true insofar as her hus-band coming home intoxicated was concerned, but that the remainder of the story was an absolute error. We wish to state, however, that The

Times reporter got his information from the Justice of the Peace before from the Justice of the Peace before whom the warrant of arrest was sworn out. But, in full justice to Mrs. O'Dell, we are pleased to make this statement. She said that while her husband does drink, she considers him absolutely harmless while intoxicated, though he did appear worse

ast week than ever before.

The case was in some manner compromised and dismissed at cost of de-fendant,

CARNILL-WHELEN

Arthur Carnill and Alva Rucker Arthur Carnill and Alva Rucker Whelen, of Route 5, were married in Leadwood July 10 by Rev. J. S. Boyer. The bridegroom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carnill and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Whelen. Mr. and Mrs. Carnill will reside near Sprott.

IVES-GOODSON

Orville O. Ives, of Belgrade, and Cora Ellen Goodson, of Topozark, were united in marriage here Wed-nesday, July 11, by Justice Wm. Good. They will make their home in Bel-grade.

LICENSED TO MARRY

July 5, Noah Hibbitts of Desloge and Add Arnold of Bonne Terre. July 7, Noah Ceaft of Elvins and Lowren Crater of Dee Run. July 9, Harry R. Overall of De-Lassus and Lois Stickney of Kalama-zoo, Mich. July 10, Elmer Frank Clark of Leadwood and Nannie Sykes of Farm-ington Route 1.

ington Route 1.

July 11, Orville O. Ives of Belgrade and Cora Ellen Goodson of Topozark.

Plans of Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense

The Government at Washington has asked the women of the country to regitaer for service. The registration is in the nature of a census. Registration blanks, similar to the one shown here, will soon be distributed in the State of Missouri, through the Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense, with headquarters at 905 Locust street, St. Louis. The census of 1914 shows 1,800,000 women in Missouri. The Council of National Defense expects that all of these will register, and many more, as even children can serve in these stressful times. The conservation of food, Red

Cross service, conservation of health and many other departments are covered by the Council of National Defense. A woman need not be in business to register. Home service, home economics, the welfare of children, count for just as much in sound government as the public speaker or the woman

in the ocational field.

To help finance the work of the Woman's Committee, a voluntary registration fee, in any amount from one cent and up, will be asked with each

How soon can you start?.....

(Sign only one of these cards	Woman's Committee—Co	No Division	
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